

**AMENDMENT TO H.R.
OFFERED BY MRS. CAPPS**

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Disposition:	Not Agreed to by 19 yeas and 28 nays

(Amendment to Medicare Modernization and Prescription
Drug Act of 2002)

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In section 1860G of the Social Security Act (as pro-
posed to be inserted by section 101(a)(2))—

(1) amend the section heading [page 38, lines
10 and 11] to read as follows:

1 **"SEC. 1860G. PREMIUM AND COST-SHARING SUBSIDIES**
2 **FOR LOW-INCOME INDIVIDUALS AND COST-**
3 **SHARING SUBSIDIES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH**
4 **ALS.";**

(2) add at the end of subsection (a) [page 41,
after line 2] the following:

5 “(6) COST-SHARING GAP-FILLING SUBSIDY FOR INDI-
6 VIDUALS WITH ALS.—In the case of an individual who is
7 eligible to elect, and has elected, to obtain qualified pre-
8 scription drug coverage under this part and who is de-
9 scribed in section 226(h) (relating to individuals deter-
10 mined to have amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS)), the in-
11 dividual is entitled under this section to the substitution for
12 the beneficiary cost-sharing described in paragraphs (2)
13 and (3) of section 1860B(b), for cost-sharing (for costs
14 above the annual deductible specified in paragraph (1) of
15 such section and up to the annual out-of-pocket threshold
16 specified in paragraph (4)(B) of such section) equal to 20
17 percent.